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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Data processing apparatus is disclosed for receiving  
5 recognition data from a speech recognition engine and its  
corresponding dictated audio data where the recognition  
data includes recognised words or characters. A display  
displays the recognised words or characters and the  
recognised words or characters are stored as a file  
10 together with the corresponding audio data. Link data  
is formed to link the position of the words or characters  
in the file and the position of the corresponding audio  
component in the audio data. The recognised words or  
characters can be processed without loosing the audio  
15 data.

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